



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

WEBB et al.

Serial No.: 09/976,137

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For: "PROCESS AND APPARATUS
TO REDUCE THE AMOUNTS OF
ARSENIC IN WATER

Mail Stop: Non-Fee Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of March 10, 2003 (Paper No. 8). With this Amendment and Response, Applicants have filed a Request for a Two-Month Extension of Time together with a check for \$205.00, thereby extending the period for response from June 10, 2003 to August 10, 2003. This Response is filed timely, as August 10, 2003 falls on Sunday. Although Applicants believe that no additional fees are due for filing this Amendment and Response, please charge any fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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